

Tonopah's Production, \$113,766,656

Dividends, \$27,255,015

Silver, today--99 1-2c; a year ago, 78 1-4

THE WEATHER

Tonight Fair and Cooler
Wednesday Fair

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS

Silver 99 1/2c
Copper 23 1/2c
Lead 7 1/2c
Quicksilver \$110 @ \$120

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TONOPAH, NEVADA, TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 9, 1918

PRICE 10 CENTS

FRENCH ADVANCE ONE MILE

Allies Steadily Increasing Gains and Hold New Positions

THROW OFF THE YOKE OF KAISER

GERMANS ALARMED OVER PROSPECTS OF HOLDING MOSCOW IN CONTROL

(By Associated Press.)
THE HAGUE, July 9.—Germans returning from Moscow, says the Deutsche Zeitung, referring to the Mirbach case, have expressed the fear that complete anarchy there might endanger persons who, in an orderly country may be safe from harm. The paper gives the following alleged quotation from a speaker at a railway strike meeting in Moscow: "It is time to throw off the yoke of Mirbach. He has put around our necks otherwise a shameful death threat. As away with German capital. Away with the Kaiser and his whole counter revolutionary band."

U. S. SOLDIERS GUARD POLLS

TROUBLE BREWING AT MINING TOWN ON ISTHMUS OF PANAMA

(By Associated Press.)
PANAMA, July 9.—A political contest growing out of Sunday's election in David, a gold mining town near the western end of the Isthmus, resulted in the government imprisoning the opposition judges of elections. In consequence a detachment of 35 American soldiers has been directed to remain at David and watch developments.

NO INQUIRY INTO TELEGRAPH LINES

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 9.—Senators demanding an investigation before taking action on the house resolution authorizing the president to take over telegraph, telephone, cable and radio lines won a partial victory when the senate interstate commerce committee head testimony behind closed doors on the telegraph situation from President Carlton of the Western Union. A decision regarding further hearings was deferred. By a vote of 7 to 2 the senate commerce committee late today ordered a favorable report without further hearings on the house resolution authorizing the president to take over the telegraph, telephone, cable and radio lines for the war.

WHEAT CONDITIONS GREATLY IMPROVED

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 9.—A reduction of 49,000,000 bushels in the prospective wheat harvest is shown in the department of agricultural July forecast which is 891,000,000 compared with 940,000,000 forecast in June. Deterioration during June reduced the prospective winter wheat crop by 30,000,000 bushels and spring wheat by 19,000,000 bushels. The corn harvest promises to be the best on record.

BELMONT SENDS OUT BULLION SHIPMENT

The semi-monthly shipment of the Tonopah Belmont amounted to 54 bars of bullion weighing 99,981 ounces valued at \$119,977 and a carload of concentrates worth approximately \$5000, making the total clean-up worth \$124,977.

BROKERS ACCUSED OF CONSPIRING TO DEFAUD THE U. S.

ALLEGED TO HAVE MADE DISHONEST RETURNS ON INCOME TAX REPORTS

(By Associated Press.)
BOSTON, July 9.—William A. English and John H. O'Brien, members of the firm of English & O'Brien, Boston wool merchants, were arrested today on a federal indictment charged with conspiracy to defraud the government of income taxes. The indictment alleged the shortage through improper accounting amounted to \$250,000. Both pleaded not guilty and were held in bonds of \$25,000 each. Federal officers said this is the first case of the kind to be brought to the attention of the federal grand jury.

KILLED IN ACTION

(By Associated Press.)
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, July 9.—Alan Ash, of Chicago, and Warren T. Hobbs, of Worcester, Mass., were killed in combat, according to reports from the front.

KILLED BY FALL DOWN CHUTE

James Domenico, aged 33 years, was killed yesterday afternoon by falling down a chute from the 600 level of the Tonopah Extension No. 2 shaft workings. Death was instantaneous as life was extinct when the body was discovered at the bottom of a chute extending a depth of 65 feet.

The accident occurred at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon when the electric lights went out and deceased and a partner who were tramping ceased work until carbide lamps could be secured. Domenico's partner went to the station to bring a lamp and it is supposed that deceased attempted to follow and fell into the chute which he did not see owing to the darkness. Not a sound was uttered and the death was discovered only after the partner returned with the lamp. Not finding Domenico where he left him a search was instituted with the result that the body was found on the lower level.

The head and face were badly contused while the body showed little evidence of the fall. Death is supposed to have been caused by a fracture of the skull.

Deputy Mine Inspector Huber, who is in charge of southern Nevada, happened to be in Carson City yesterday when the death occurred and was notified of the circumstances by wire, whereupon he asked to have the inquest deferred until tomorrow. Domenico was familiar with the workings of the Extension where he had been employed for five months of the seven months which he spent in Tonopah and some surprise was expressed at the manner in which he met his death. So far as known there are no relatives in this country. Deceased came from Italy. The mine inspector was notified and Coroner Dunsen set the inquest for 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

PASSENGER TRAIN IN A COLLISION

REPORTS STATE 100 KILLED IN THE SUBURBS OF NASHVILLE

(By Associated Press.)
NASHVILLE, Tenn., July 9.—Two passenger trains of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railway collided near Belle-Mead park in the western suburbs of Nashville. Telephone reports from the scene of the wreck are to the effect that 25 were killed and between 50 and 75 injured.

Six passenger coaches in all were demolished when two cars of a through train caught fire and were destroyed. Wrecking crews and volunteers worked heroically in the wreckage to rescue the injured. Most of the dead are believed to be negroes.

Late today it was estimated that 100 persons, mostly negroes, lost their lives in the collision.

ADVERTISING AS FIRST AID IN WAR

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—The vital part taken by advertising in developing America's prosecution of the war is noted by President Wilson in a telegram sent here to William O. D'Arcy, president of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, which is in convention here. The president cited the part taken by advertising men in creating and maintaining interest in the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A. and other war drives, and special attention was called to the activity of advertising men in the committee on public information.

LIGHTNING PARALYZES SERVICE FOR DISTANCE OF 225 MILES

From Big Pine, Cal., to Manhattan, Nev., a distance of 225 miles the atmosphere was surcharged with electricity yesterday from 3 o'clock in the afternoon to long after midnight. The result was that the service was spasmodic as the Nevada-California Power company no sooner succeeded in repairing one break than another occurred. Trouble shooters were kept on the keen jump all night and are still out patching up the ragged ends, restoring insulators and raising felled poles. Lightning held possession of the entire system along the Nevada border and after the light circuits were turned on there were no less than seven interruptions. From 8 o'clock to 11 o'clock last night the light circuit in the Brougher avenue district of Tonopah was out for the third time. The power circuit serving the West End in the same section was on after a short intermission. The domestic circuit trouble was due to lightning burning out fuses in a transformer which took some time to locate as the men were out busy with the main lines. The Alkali-Tonopah and the Millers-Tonopah lines gave the greatest trouble.

The auxiliary steam plant had its first real test last evening when the power line to the Great Western

92 Transports Will Be Built

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 9.—Chairman Hurley, after a visit to the White House, announced that the shipping board has let contracts for 92 army transports. After the war the transports will be put into the passenger carrying trade.

SMASHING GERMANY'S SUB DOCKS

BRITISH PLANES RETURN FROM A LIVELY DYNAMITING TRIP

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, July 9.—British naval airplanes for the period between July 4th and 7th dropped six tons of explosives on the German works at Ostend, Zeebrugge and Bruges. Direct hits were observed on buildings and vessels. Five German airplanes were destroyed and three others sent down out of control. All the British planes returned.

PARENTS WARNED ABOUT PROFITEERS

(By Associated Press.)
CAMP LEWIS, July 9.—A warning to relatives and friends of drafted men not on any account to pay profiteering attorneys a fee for assistance in filling out applications for agricultural furloughs was issued by the camp military authorities today. It is charged that a big graft has been made.

TO AVENGE DEATH OF HIS FATHER

Steve Pavlovich left Reno Sunday night to join the army at the University of Arizona, at Tucson, where he will perfect himself in one of the numerous trades before being assigned to active service.

Steve will be remembered here as the popular mixologist who later became one of the owners of the Mix-pah buffet in Reno in partnership with Martin Cafferata, and his departure carries with it a story of a war atrocity that removed both his father and mother. Steve's parents continued residing on the old farm back in Serbia when their boys came to this country to make their fortunes and after the war broke out the father was called out one morning and stood up against a wall where he was made the target of a small band of Hun assassins and killed on the spot. Mrs. Pavlovich, the mother, is supposed to have shared a similar fate since nothing has been heard from her since the opening of the war. Another boy, Marco Pavlovich, went out from Tonopah shortly after the declaration of war. Both boys will be found fighting with a vengeance when they get across the pond and it is certain that they will do their best to exact a terrible penalty for the heinous crimes visited upon their parents.

Today and a year ago. Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah:

	1918	1917
5 a. m.	54	65
8 a. m.	62	83
12 noon	72	89
Maximum, July 8	80	89
Minimum, July 8	54	66
Relative humidity at noon		
today, 46 per cent.		

BLUE DEVILS ARTILLERY IS MORE EFFECTIVE THAN THAT OF ENEMY ADDITIONAL PRISONERS TAKEN

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, July 9.—(Official)—French troops early this morning attacked the German lines on a front of two and a half miles west of the Anthel front between Montdidier and Oise, penetrating the enemy positions and

realizing an advance of a mile at certain points. German counter attacks upon the French lines at Loges farm in the area of the advance were repulsed, the French artillery maintaining the gains. Prisoners were taken to the number of 450, including fourteen officers. In the Longpont region, east of Retz forest, the French increased their gains of yesterday and took additional prisoners.

AUSTRIA CONCEDES ALBANIAN DEFEAT

(By Associated Press.)
VIENNA (via London), July 9.—Entente pressure against the Austrian lines in Albania is being continued by forces advancing across the river Vojussa with a gain of

ground by the French along the upper Devoli. It is reported that fighting is also taking place in the interior southwest of Berat.

FRANCIS CONFIRMS STORY OF MURDER

AMERICAN MINISTER IS HEARD FROM AT VOLOGDA AFTER LONG SILENCE
(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 9.—Ambassador Francis at Vologda, in a message dated July 7th, bringing the first word from him by the state department since June 27, confirmed the report of the assassination of Count von Mirbach, German ambassador at Moscow.

SIBERIANS DEFEAT BOLSHEVIKI ARMY

(By Associated Press.)
SHANGHAI, July 9.—After disarming the Bolshevik forces at Vladivostok, says a dispatch from Vladivostok dated July 5th, Czech-Slovaks advanced westward, defeated a mixed force of Bolsheviks, and Austro-German prisoners, and occupied Nikolaevsk, the naval station on the Amur river.

GUAM RAVAGED BY A TYPHOON

CROPS OF PACIFIC ISLET ARE DESTROYED AND PEOPLE LEFT DESTITUTE
(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 9.—The island of Guam was devastated by a typhoon July 6th, Captain Roy Smith, governor and commandant of the naval station, reported to the state department today. He said one-half of the inhabitants are destitute, and crops have been destroyed and much material damage done. Steps have been taken to feed the destitute.

FEAR OF FAMINE FULLY DISPELLED

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 9.—Definite assurance that there is no danger of a sugar famine was given by the food administration today. The food situation is generally declared to be better than at any time since America undertook feeding the allied world. The American public, however, will be expected to observe closely new regulations limiting the per capita consumption of sugar to three pounds monthly and continue all other conservation measures. It is pointed out regarding the wheat situation that even with the prospect of a 900,000,000-bushel wheat crop there can be little if any lessening of the present conservation measures.

YANKEE AVIATORS GO OVER WITH PLANES

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, July 9.—Hopes founded on American aerial aid for the allies are soon to be realized, says Captain Herteaux, a French aviator who has returned from a visit to the United States, in a statement to the Associated Press. Both American pilots and machines are coming overseas in large numbers.

CASUALTY LIST

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 9.—Army: Killed in action, 14; died of wounds, 10; died of disease, 1; wounded severely, 18, including Private Miller, of San Francisco. Marines: Killed in action 17; died of wounds, 11; wounded severely, 18; missing, 12.